

COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH  
OVERSIGHT DIVISION

**FISCAL NOTE**

L.R. NO.: 4331-01  
BILL NO.: HB 1975  
SUBJECT: Recorder of Deeds: Training  
TYPE: Original  
DATE: March 6, 2000

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**FISCAL SUMMARY**

<b>ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON STATE FUNDS</b>			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
<b>Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> State Funds</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

<b>ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS</b>			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
<b>Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

<b>ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS</b>			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003
<b>Local Government</b>	<b>\$0 or (Unknown)</b>	<b>\$0 or (Unknown)</b>	<b>\$0 or (Unknown)</b>

Numbers within parentheses: ( ) indicate costs or losses.

This fiscal note contains 4 pages.

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**FISCAL ANALYSIS**

**ASSUMPTION**

**Buchanan County Recorder of Deeds** assumes no fiscal impact.

**Howard County Circuit Clerk Ex-Officio Recorder of Deeds** stated that under current law Ex-Officio Recorders are not required to attend training, therefore, officials assume no fiscal impact.

**Callaway County Recorder of Deeds** stated that the county currently pays for expenses from General Revenue, therefore, there would be no fiscal impact to Callaway County.

**Franklin County Recorder of Deeds** assumes no fiscal impact.

**Greene County Recorder of Deeds** assumes that the travel and other expenses would be paid from the County's General Revenue Fund as is done for other elected officials.

**Oversight** assumes the following:

that not all counties would be affected by this proposal;

that some counties currently pay the expenses of their Recorder of Deeds while attending training and would have no fiscal impact;

that counties with Circuit Clerk-Ex Officio Recorder of Deeds would not be affected by this proposal; and

counties that currently do not pay the expenses of their Recorder of Deeds while they attend training would be required to do so.

Oversight will show costs to certain counties General Revenue Fund as \$0 or (Unknown).

<u>FISCAL IMPACT - State Government</u>	FY 2001 (10 Mo.)	FY 2002	FY 2003
	\$0	\$0	\$0

<u>FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government</u>	FY 2001 (10 Mo.)	FY 2002	FY 2003
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### **CERTAIN COUNTIES**

<u>Costs to Certain Counties</u> for Recorder of Deeds Expenses while training	\$0 or (Unknown)	\$0 or (Unknown)	\$0 or (Unknown)
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### FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

No direct fiscal impact to small businesses would be expected as a result of this proposal.

### DESCRIPTION

This bill requires the county to reimburse the County Recorder's expenses while attending training sessions. Under current law, the reimbursement is discretionary.

This legislation is not federally mandated, would not duplicate any other program and would not require additional capital improvements or rental space.

### SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Buchanan County Recorder of Deeds  
Greene County Recorder of Deeds  
Callaway County Recorder of Deeds  
Franklin County Recorder of Deeds  
Howard County Recorder of Deeds

### SOURCES OF INFORMATION (continued)

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**NOT RESPONDING:**

The County Recorder of Deeds of: Boone, Atchison, Marion, Jasper, Camden, Monroe, Texas, Stoddard, and Dunklin Counties.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jeanne Jarrett". The signature is stylized with a large initial "J" and a cursive "e" at the end.

Jeanne Jarrett, CPA  
Director  
March 6, 2000